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We still have a large variety of Patterns in Winter Suitings. Some really beautiful patterns.
Our tailoring is what makes them becoming to the wearer.
LET US SHOW THEM TO YOU
Seligman & McIlhenny
Agency for Footer's Dye Works.
A complete line of Gent's Furnishings.

TWO SOCIETIES GAVE PROGRAM

Palm and Clover Leaf Societies of Gettysburg High School Render their Annual Joint Christmas Program

Before a large audience in which there were a number of patrons, friends, and alumni of the public schools the members of the Palm and Clover Leaf societies of the Gettysburg High School on Friday afternoon gave their annual Christmas program to the delight of all.

One of the best and most interesting features of the program was a debate on the subject "Resolved that the American Indian has been unjustly treated by the White Man." The Clover Leaf team, composed of Richard Mishler, Mary Sheads and Robert Blocher, upheld the affirmative side while the Palm team, Ernie Ziegler, Anna Weaver and Luther Musselman argued for the negative and won; the debate on the decision of the judges Rev. Henry Anstadt, Rev. J. B. Baker and Mr. Durbin Ott.

A German school scene given by some members of the Senior class was another feature, all those taking part wearing German costume and all of the conversation being in German. A German song by the Seniors and Juniors was another number which was much enjoyed.

Other attractive numbers, all of which were well rendered were the following:

Christmas song.
Recitation, "A Railway through a Farm," Emma Sachs.
Oration, "The Only American Colony," Luther Musselman.
"Mark Twain and the Interviewer," Claire Sowers and Earl Deardorff.
Vocal solo, Miss Reba Miller.
Recitation, "Just before Christmas," Edward Barbehenn.
Oration, "The Magic Castle," Adele Valentine.
Recitation, "Too Deep for That," Ethel Culp.
Violin solo, Nellie Kelly.
Recitation, "Tommy Brown," Marian Deardorff.
Recitation, "How Soccer Set the Hen," Ernie Ziegler.
Exercise, "A Precious Pickle," seven girls.

ICE HARVEST AT LAUREL

Next week the United Ice and Coal Company will start the great annual ice harvest at Laurel. The monster dam at that place is covered with ice about eleven inches in thickness, and by next week this will be about half a foot thicker.

The work will be done by a force of over a hundred men, with the help of eight horses, which will be used in scoring the ice prior to cutting, and also hauling it to the elevator. From the water the monster cakes weighing about two hundred pounds each will be carried to the house on a big elevator operated by a steam engine of 25 horse power. Several thousand tons of ice will be cut and shipped to Harrisburg, Reading, York, Gettysburg, Carlisle and other places. The big houses at the dam will also be filled.

CULP'S HILL MYSTERY

Culp's Hill has developed a mystery which has excited the curiosity of all who have looked upon the object of interest. Along the terrace on East Confederate avenue beyond the third bridge are two tracks in the snow, apparently those of a small sled, running for a distance of three hundred yards. At some places the two tracks come almost together. Other places they get a considerable distance apart. There are no footprints near the tracks and by what they were made or how they got there is the subject of much speculation. Since Friday's snow the interesting "phenomenon" has become less apparent.

ATTACKED BY BULL

Harry Dern, of near Emmitsburg was slightly injured by a bull he was showing to a dealer. The animal attacked him as it was turned out of the stable and tossed him about ten feet in the air. When he fell it was directly in front of the bull but fortunately the animal was attracted by Mr. Dern's hat and while smelling at that he injured man got out of reach.

I LOST my fountain pen between the kindergarten school and my home on Baltimore street. If you find it please return to Master Tinkie Turner.

FEW CHRISTMAS WEDDINGS HERE

Cupid Fails to Put in his Usual Holiday Work and Only about Half the Usual Number of Marriage Licenses are Issued.

That Cupid is taking a holiday vacation in Adams County is clearly demonstrated by the lack of marriage licenses issued this month in the office of Clerk of the Courts, Jacob F. Thomas.

The number for the month of December up to this time last year was almost double that now reached and there is no prospect of business picking up. The final month of the year has always been a good one for the issuing of marriage licenses, December and June generally leading off.

An interesting note concerning the small number of marriage licenses being issued this year is that for the last few days preceding Christmas there have been almost no requests for the papers necessary before the weddings may take place and as a result there will be few Christmas Day marriages in Adams County. Last year for three or four days before December 25 there were about a half dozen such applications each day.

The year, however, will run ahead of 1909, the number issued last year being reached now.

Christmas Eve

DEC. 24

A Merry Christmas to All Our Readers

RICHARD D. DAVIS

Richard D. Davis, a resident of Cumberland County, well known in the upper end of Adams County, died from the effects of gangrene Friday morning in the Harrisburg hospital, to which institution he was taken for an operation.

Last Wednesday two weeks ago Mr. Davis, while doing some work in a warehouse, had his right arm accidentally caught in the machinery, and partly torn off and crushed. He remained at his home until Wednesday evening of the following week, when his condition did not improve, and he was taken to the hospital in Harrisburg for an operation. The arm was amputated about a week ago, and at that time his condition was critical. He rallied slightly, and a few days ago there was a chance for his recovery. However, Wednesday his condition became much worse, and death resulted Friday morning. Gangrene developed, causing death.

Mr. Davis was aged about 41 years. Surviving him are his wife and three children, Marshall, Mary and Richard. Also his father, James McC. Davis, of Aspers, and two sisters and one brother, Mrs. W. D. Slaybaugh, Greason; Mrs. Lulu Yiengst, Aspers; and John Davis, of Toland.

COMING HOME

That Christmas is the home coming day is being fully demonstrated in Gettysburg this year, for there has been a general influx of former residents and boys and girls away at school coming back for the day at their homes here. The number is perhaps larger than ever before and there will be many family reunions in town over Christmas.

Sunday will be observed by a large number of people as Christmas Day though Monday will be a general holiday and the Christmas celebration in many homes will take place then.

To all of our readers and friends we extend best wishes for a Merry Christmas.

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SHORT PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Brief Paragraphs Telling the News of the Town and County and of Some Places Nearby. Short Items for Quick Reading.

Joseph Stock, who is attending school in Philadelphia, is at his home on Baltimore street for the Christmas vacation.

Curtis H. Sheads, of Harrisburg, is at his home in this place for several days.

Miss Madge Blocher, of Pittsburg, is spending some time at her home on Seminary Ridge.

Maurice Bushman, has returned from Baltimore to spend the Christmas holidays at his home here.

President Granville was a visitor to Harrisburg on Friday.

N. C. Barbehenn, of Philadelphia, is at his home on North Stratton street for the holidays.

Dr. Samuel Bruner, of Philadelphia, is spending Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter M. Bruner, on Chambersburg street.

Judge and Mrs. S. McC. Swope and Miss Amy Swope have returned to their home on Baltimore street after a trip of several days to Jersey City.

Miss Annie Swartz is spending the holidays at her home on Baltimore street.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rebert, of Newport, are visiting relatives in town for several days.

Harry W. Redding, of Stroudsburg, is spending the holidays with friends in town.

Maurice Bender, Maurice Weaver, E. A. Miller, Paul R. Sieber and Ross McAllister are home from Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, to spend the holidays here.

Mrs. Raymond MacNeil, of Glen Cove, Long Island, is spending some time at the home of her parents on Steinwehr avenue.

Gilbert Dickson has returned from Philadelphia for a vacation of several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Watson Dickson on Baltimore street.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Willis Appler, Miss Clara Appler, of Harrisburg, and John Appler, of the State Normal School at Shippensburg are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Appler on East High street for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Raymond and children left this morning for a week's trip to Philadelphia.

Prof. P. S. Miller of Glenville, is a guest for several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Wilson on East Middle street.

Edward Eckenrode, of Omaha, Nebraska, is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Eckenrode on West High street.

"Eddie" Plank has returned from a month's stay with the Athletics in Cuba to spend some time at his home.

Guy Grenoble, of Baltimore, is spending Christmas at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Grenoble on North Washington street.

Miss Mary Alice Forney, of Philadelphia, is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Forney on West High street.

Miss Beulah Wierman has returned to Gettysburg after a week's visit with relatives and friends in Harrisburg.

Harry Hemler, of Johnstown, is at his home in this place for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weaver, of Johnstown, are visiting relatives and friends in town for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Forney have gone to Hagerstown to spend Christmas.

Philip R. Bickle has gone to Mifflinburg to spend Christmas.

Bernard Partridge is visiting his brother in Baltimore for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor B. Hausknecht are spending the Christmas holidays at the home of Hon. William A. Martin on Lincoln avenue.

Horace Stewart, of the Schoolship "Adams" is at his home on Baltimore street for the holidays.

TO GIVE CANTATA

Christian Endeavor of the Trinity Lutheran church of Arendtsville will give a cantata on Tuesday evening, Dec. 27th at 7 o'clock.

Eat Ziegler's bread.

POOR SHOWING AT ENCAMPMENT

Reports of Inspections Made at Gettysburg Last Summer Show Much Room for Improvement in State Guard.

The report of the inspection of the organizations of the National Guard of Pennsylvania which participated in the division encampment held at Gettysburg August 11 to 20 has been issued by Adjutant General Thomas J. Stewart and scores heavily some faults of the various organizations.

The report of the inspector general and the brigade inspectors is filled with criticisms of the organizations, especially the infantry, and the preface to the report states that attention should be paid to guard duty and the training and efficiency of the individual soldier.

Major M. H. Taggart, one of the inspectors, says in part: "Officers are careless in the performance of their functions as a part of the guard and do not give it the time they should, trusting their part of the work to non-commissioned officers. It was a revelation to me to find with what indifference officers assume and perform the duties of officer of the day and commander of the guard, and this is all reflected in the work of the enlisted men. How many instruct their guard, visit sentinels on post by day and night, and lend their best efforts to elevate? General orders are neglected and their application not understood; men do not know the difference between colors and standards; do not understand rank of officers by the insignia they wear; cannot define nuisance or disorder or give an example. This leads to the question provided they know their general orders, what good if they do not understand them? This work should be made practical and all should be caused to comprehend."

FIFTY FEET THROUGH BOLDER

Work on the trolley extension between Pen Mar and Highfield is progressing rapidly despite the disagreeable weather. The grading of the road bed is nearly completed in many places between Highfield and the Cascades and between the Cascades and Pen Mar.

The force of men under John W. Warhime is concentrated about the Cascades, blasting a course through the big rock boulder on the south side of the Germantown road. At this place the trolley track will run through a cut 50 feet long, and probably 25 feet deep at some places. Already the workmen have dynamited their way 100 feet into the bank of rock from each end.

General Manager Sefton, in talking of the work, tells that a heavy charge of dynamite was placed in the earth on the Pen Mar end recently. When the explosion occurred a quantity of earth that would fill a large room, was lifted up and dropped on one side of the right of way just out of the line of the proposed railway track.

COLLEGE DAYS

DeWolf and Cunard and a company of 35 singers and dancers will be seen in this city on Wednesday, January 4th, at Walter's Theatre. This is the third successful season of this merry singing comedy, the added feature is the famous pony ballet of the "Barnyard Romeo Co." The show is an excellent one and has been received with the greatest enthusiasm wherever they have appeared this season. The prices during the engagement are 25, 50 and 75c.

THE CLIMAX

"I have made it a point," says Mr. Weber, "Never to miss an opportunity to read or investigate a new play, no matter who the author is. And it is this constant vigilance which has brought me at last the reward in 'The Climax.' I am so sure of its success that I wouldn't take \$50,000.00 for it today. At Walter Theatre, Friday, Dec. 30.

DISTINCTION FOR MINISTER

Rev. Charles Reinwald, D.D., pastor of the Lutheran church Emmitsburg, and well known here, was elected a member of the National Geographic Society at a meeting of the board of managers held in Washington on December 8 last.

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Here you find everything for the home,
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Dinner, Tea and Toilet Sets. Silver
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of every style and description

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The kind that won't break when you
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A liberal discount to school pupils and teachers
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Holiday Goods

at Klepper's

In addition to our already large stock we have added for the Christmas
Season a line of

Chinaware, Lamps, Glassware
and Candies

that is unsurpassed in this section. Our two store rooms are full to the brim of
interesting and appropriate gifts. This stock will have to be kept moving and
we have prices marked so that it will move.

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Capital \$100,000; Surplus \$150,000

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This Bank on and after Nov. 1, 1910
will pay **3 1-2 per cent per
annum** on all moneys deposited
on special certificate for a period of
six months.

This rate of interest will apply to
all outstanding certificates
from Nov. 1, 1910.

D. G. Minter, President.

S. M. Bushman, Cashier

Old Men Retired

Industrial Concerns will Engage
Only Young Men

In these days of strenuous competition
when dividends count for more than men
the man who retains his youth is the man
who holds his job the longest.

That is why one of the most successful
dermatologists in Paris has warned
young men to take good care of the hair
if you grow bald at 30 or 35 or even
when you are older, that bald spot will
so far as appearance goes add 10 years
to your life.

Men who have hair should by all means
keep it. In later years it may mean a
livelihood to yourself and family.

Dandruff means falling hair; falling
hair means dandruff. Stop falling hair
and dandruff now. Go to the People's
Drug Store and get a large 50c bottle of
Parisian Sage They will guarantee it to
stop falling hair; to drive out all dandruff
and kill the dandruff germs, or money
back.

Remember that the man with a bald
head who seeks a position is handicapped
at the start. Parisian Sage will make hair
grow, will give it a lustrous appearance
that denotes health and youthfulness.
For sale by the People's Drug store and
druggists everywhere. Girl with Auburn
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14 Chambersburg St.
Also at the same place am pre-
pared to make plain or rim but-
tons on short notice.

GOETHE ON HAMLET.

The Great German Poet's Analysis of
"the Melancholy Dane."

Figure to yourself this youth, this
son of princes; conceive him vividly,
bring his state before your eyes and
then observe him when he learns that
his father's spirit walks. Stand be-
fore him in the terror of the night
when the venerable spirit appears
over him. A horrid shudder passes
over him; he speaks to the mysterious
form; he sees it beckon to him; he fol-
lows it and hears. The fearful accu-
sation of his uncle rings in his ears,
the summons to revenge and the pierc-
ing oft repeated prayer, "Remember
me!"

And when the ghost has vanished
who is it that stands before us? A
young hero panting for vengeance?
No! Trouble and astonishment take
hold of the solitary young man. He
grows blither against smiling villains,
swears that he will not forget the
spirit and concludes with the signifi-
cant ejaculation:

The time is out of joint. O cursed spite,
That ever I was born to set it right!

In these words, I imagine, will be
found the key to Hamlet's whole pro-
cedure. To me it is clear that Shake-
speare meant in the present case to
represent the effects of a great ac-
tion laid upon the soul unfit for the
performance of it. In this view the
whole piece seems to be composed.
There is an oak tree planted in a cost-
ly jar which should have borne only
pleasant flowers in its bosom; the
roots expand, the jar is shattered.—
From "Wilhelm Meister."

SACKING A THEATER.

Tribulations of the Drama in New
York In 1765.

Here is an account of the sacking of
a theater in New York from the Ga-
zette of May 3, 1765:

"The play advertised to be acted last
Monday evening having given offense
to sundry and divers inhabitants of
this city, who thought it highly im-
proper that such entertainments should
be exhibited at this time of public dis-
tress, when great numbers of poor peo-
ple can scarce find means of subsist-
ence, whereby many persons might be
tempted to neglect their business and
squander that money which is neces-
sary to the payment of their debts and
the support of their families, a rumor
was spread about the town that if the
play went on the audience would meet
with some disturbance from the multi-
tude.

"This prevented the greatest part of
those who intended to have been there
from going. However, many people
came, and the play was begun, but
soon interrupted by the multitude, who
burst open the doors and entered with
noise and tumult. The audience es-
caped in the best manner they could.
Many lost their hats and other articles
of raiment. A boy had his skull frac-
tured and was yesterday trepanned.
Death is his. Several others were
sorely set upon and injured. But we
heard of no lives lost. The multitude
immediately demolished the house, car-
ried the pieces to the common, where
they consumed them in a bonfire."

A Cautious Scot.

Stonehaven lies to the south of Aber-
deen. The London train had drawn
up at Stonehaven on account of a
slight mishap a mile or two ahead, and
Andra, the old porter, had got into
conversation with a Salvation Army
officer, who had popped his head out
of the compartment to ask the reason
for the delay. "Aye, aye," mused An-
dra after giving the desired informa-
tion, "ye'll be for Aberdeen, I'm
thinkin'?" "Yes, my man," was the
reply; "I'm bound for Aberdeen, a
very wicked place, I'm told." "What
might ye be goin' to dae there, sir, if
it's as bad as a' that?" asked Andra,
rather amused at the visitor's words.
"Ah," was the pious answer, "I'm go-
ing to drive the devil out of Aber-
deen." Like lightning came from the
old porter the pawky reply, "See an'
drive him north, chiel; haul him well
to the north!"

He Got His Answer.

"They who ask unpleasant ques-
tions," said a senator, "mustn't be sur-
prised if they get unpleasant answers.
Yes, the interrogatory politician too of-
ten finds himself in the boots of Gobsa
Golde.

"The aged Gobsa Golde was quarrel-
ling furiously with his young and beau-
tiful wife.

"Didn't you marry me for my mon-
ey?" he yelled.

"Mrs. Gobsa Golde tossed her head.

"Yes, of course I did," she said,
"and if you weren't so stingy with it
we'd never have a cross word."—
Washington Post.

Steel and Iron.

Reaumur discovered the direct pro-
cess of making steel in 1722, or there-
abouts, by immersing malleable iron
in a bath of cast iron. A steel manu-
factory is said to have been set up by
Benjamin Huntsman near Sheffield in
1740. It was about 1800, however, be-
fore steel fairly became the fashion.
The greatest boost to the trade came
from Bessemer in 1850.

Maids of Moods.

"Do your daughters help their moth-
er with the housework?"
"We wouldn't think of expecting it.
Muriel is temperamental, and Zaza is
intense."—Pittsburg Post.

Hadn't Settled.

Bacon—And you say your brother has
settled in Canada? Egbert—No, I
didn't say so. I think he went there
to get out of settling.—Yonkers States-
man.

Christmas without Candy

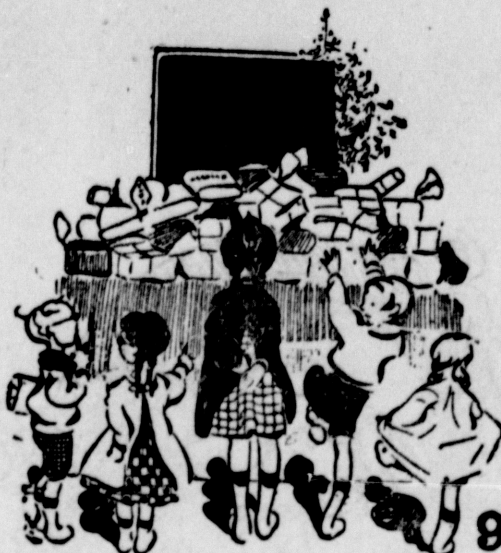
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a week. NUTS
of all kinds



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Date	Name	Township	Auctioneer
5	Dr. C. E. Goldsboro	Straban	Thompson
21	Daniel Cromer, Agt.	Oxford	Thompson
21	George Mummert	Beaersville	Slaybaugh
FEBRUARY			
1	Martin Harman	Straban	Thompson
2	George Jeffcoat	Mt. Pleasant	
8	H. A. Swartz	Cumberland	Thompson
10	C. W. Haverstick	Franklin	Taylor
10	C. O. Yohe	Cumberland	Thompson
11	Harry T. Smith	Straban	Thompson
14	George W. Wolf	Cumberland	Thompson
15	Joseph Klunk	Mt. Pleasant	Thompson
15	J. T. Hartzell	Cumberland	Caldwell
16	Addison Leer	Straban	Walker & Thompson
17	E. C. March	Mt. Joy	Thompson
18	John W. Shutter	Mt. Pleasant	
18	J. P. Mummert	Mt. Pleasant	Thompson
21	W. H. Deardorff	Straban	Thompson
22	G. T. Hartzell	Mt. Pleasant	Thompson
23	Mary C. Bair gdn.,	Cumberland	Caldwell
23	T. C. Grove	Straban	Thompson
24	Rupp & Potter	Tyrone	Thompson
24	Edwin Bair	Cumberland	Lightner
25	A. Hoff	Mt. Pleasant	Thompson
25	C. A. Rife	Mt. Pleasant	
27	H. B. Brown	Straban	Thompson
28	G. E. McGuigan	Mt. Pleasant	Thompson
28	Daniel Settle	Franklin	Martz
28	Eli Pitzer	Mt. Pleasant	
MARCH			
1	A. H. Keady	Hamiltonban	Martz
1	Jacob Emlet	Straban	Thompson
2	L. E. Hershey	Seven Stars	
2	Robert A. Stultz	Liberty	Lightner
2	S. S. and G. P. Patterson, adm.	Mt. Pleasant	Thompson
3	William Bringman	Straban	Thompson
4	C. D. Bream	Franklin	Taylor
4	J. D. Shafer	Tyrone	Walker
4	C. B. Hartman	Cashtown	Martz
4	C. G. Harlaub	Mt. Pleasant	Thompson
6	Warren Miller	Huntington	Thompson
6	H. W. Deardorff	Franklin	Taylor
6	R. H. Coleman	Straban	Colstock & Tate
7	F. J. Wolf	Mt. Pleasant	Thompson
7	Charles Rife	Hamiltonban	Martz
8	Joseph Weaver	Tyrone	Thompson
8	Crist Guise	Franklin	Slaybaugh
8	Ira Biesecker	Hamiltonban	
8	Amos Minter	Franklin	Taylor
9	A. P. Ginter	Mt. Pleasant	Thompson
9	David Maring	Cumberland	Lightner
9	George A. Bowers	Butler	Slaybaugh
9	John Cook	Franklin	Martz
10	Harry Eppleman	Menallen	Taylor & Slaybaugh
10	J. H. Sherman	Mt. Pleasant	Thompson
11	Elias Wolford	Mt. Pleasant	Colstock
11	J. Lewis Kane	Franklin	
11	J. A. Bream	Butler	Thompson & Slaybaugh
13	M. P. Baker	Mt. Pleasant	Thompson
13	Edward Bream	Menallen	Taylor
13	Frank Weidner	Tyrone	Kimme
14	Crist Deardorff	Butler	Slaybaugh
14	D. B. Gaugher	Mt. Joy	Thompson
14	William Smith	Menallen	Taylor
15	Charles Slonaker	Franklin	Taylor
15	J. M. Reinecker	Butler	Thompson & Slaybaugh
16	T. S. Newman	Franklin	Martz
16	Mrs. William Bowers	Tyrone	Slaybaugh
16	H. W. Weaver	Mt. Pleasant	Thompson
17	H. R. Houck	Tyrone	Thompson
17	Franklin L. Kime	Butler	Slaybaugh
18	Landis Wintrose	Mt. Joy	Thompson
18	Oscar C. Rice	Menallen	Taylor & Slaybaugh
18	D. A. Mickley, executor	Cashtown	Martz
20	Elmer Miller	Tyrone	Slaybaugh
20	Henry Wherley	Mt. Joy	Thompson
21	H. C. Wagner	Straban	Thompson
21	Harry Showers	Menallen	Slaybaugh
22	Calvin Moose	Butler	Thompson
23	C. D. Smith	Butler	Thompson
23	Annie E. Shank	Franklin	Martz
24	John H. Weaver	Mt. Pleasant	Thompson
25	Frank Dellinger	Butler	Thompson
25	C. F. Pool, agt.	Tyrone	Walker
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STEALING A BATH

Adventure of a Trio of English Tourists in Germany.

A PRINCE AND A PRIVATE TUB

His Autocratic Highness Was Shamefully Ignored and Enraged, and His Luxurious Bath Was Shamefully Appropriated and Abused.

Parker, Wilks and I had been "doing" Germany on the cheap, and I don't know which of us enjoyed it least. Parker grumbled the most, but then he always did, and though Wilks and I tried to look on the humorous side of things, we lost flesh over it. We had happened upon a heat wave and swallowed a tremendous lot of dust and flies thrown in gratis, cheap though our tariff was. But we couldn't swallow the foreign titles that cropped up around us. We had too much British pride for that. And, as luck would have it, at the last town of our tour we were quartered on the top floor of a hotel where a German prince occupied a suite of rooms. In our opinion, three English tourists were worth more than thirty German princes, and we dropped our boots on the floor at night in the vain hope that he was underneath. But, alas, his suit was on the first floor, and we never even caught a glimpse of him, though once we heard his high pitched, arrogant, penetrating voice and the cozy fulsome rejoinders of his valet both articulating a language which Parker contemptuously described as "the limit."

It was the last morning of our stay. Parker and I had gone back to the hotel to pack our bags before departing for the station. The weather was hotter and dustier than ever, and Wilks, always energetic, had gone to the public bathing place on the river in search of a swim. I had a letter to write, and Parker wandered round the hotel to kill time. Presently he thrust his face in at the door. It had lost its familiar lowering look and wore a bright and alert expression.

"I say," he ejaculated mysteriously, almost under his breath, "I've just found a bathroom in this blighted hole—bath full of tepid water, with a thermometer in it—clean, warmed towels on the rail, and all that. What shall I do?"

"Do!" I replied. "Get into it, man, and let me know when you've finished."

He wasn't long and came back looking wonderfully young and clean. The mail had just arrived and I had spent a few minutes over my letters before I also found the bathroom, following his directions. It was without exception the best I have ever been in, and, to my surprise, the big porcelain bath was half full of tepid water, and a set of clean, newly warmed towels hung on the rail. I took what the gods gave and asked no questions, but I wanted more cold water and experimented unsuccessfully with various levers on the wall. As a last hope I attacked a cart wheel affair on the floor and after a stiff struggle managed to turn it. A flood of cold water gushed in along one side of the bath, and it was all I could do to wrench the wheel around and stop the flow. As I did so light came upon me in a flash. This was the prince's bath, prepared for him a second time by his obsequious valet. It was the glorious certainty of the fact that made me enjoy that bath as I have never enjoyed a bath before or since. The cheap English tourists were one up on his serene highness, after all. Still, I admit, when I had finished tubbing I lost no time in getting back to the fourth floor again. I told Parker the great news, and we were just discussing it with rapture when Wilks came in, looking supremely dejected for the first time on the tour.

"The bathing place isn't open," he snarled. "Had all the fog of going there for nothing. What dirty beggars they are!"

"Not all of them," I replied. "Don't you worry, old chap." And I described to him the position of the bathroom, and he was off like a hare. During his absence we thoughtfully packed our own bags and his. In ten minutes he returned, fresh as a mountain daisy and bubbling over with gratitude.

"What sort of bath did you get?" I asked carelessly.

"A clinker," he cried, "and it was all put ready for me, clean towels and everything. The only difficulty I had was with the cold water wheel arrangement on the floor."

"It was a bit stiff," I agreed.

"It turned on all right," said Wilks, "but I couldn't turn it off."

"What did you do?" we asked together.

"I left it," he answered simply.

"What time are we due at the station?" said Parker.

"Now," I replied, and we took our bags and went.

As we descended the stairs with studied calmness we heard electric bells continuously tingling on the first floor, a high pitched arrogant voice raised in anger, oozy, servile tones answering imploringly. We came upon the proprietor leaping up the stairs and a stream of water leaping down them, and a couple of hours afterward we crossed the border, with the secret satisfaction that we had "done" Germany at last.—London Punch.

A man is called selfish not for pursuing his own good, but for neglecting his neighbor's.—Whately.

SUPREME COURT WORK.

How the Justices Prepare Decisions and Dissenting Opinions.

On Saturday evening each justice receives from the chief justice an envelope containing the names of the cases the chief justice has decided to allow the justice to write the opinions on, and the chief justice also notifies the justices of the hour of the conference on Monday morning. The conferences are usually held in the conference room under locked doors. The chief justice presides, and cases are taken up or postponed according to the wishes of the justices or their readiness to consider them. Each justice is furnished with a lock book, in which he may enter the details of a case, the record of the vote on conference and the final disposition. On a case being assigned by the chief justice to a justice to write the opinion of the court the opinion when written must be agreeable to the justices. If not the dissatisfied justice will promptly write a dissenting opinion. In some instances four of the justices have each written a dissenting opinion, but the usual custom is for one to write it and announce that the others concur.

Before a case is reached for argument the justices familiarize themselves with its records and briefs, and when one is directed to write the opinion he makes a study of the case, long or short, as its gravity demands. This may take a few days or months. The opinion is dictated, and after being typewritten it is corrected, boiled down and revised; another copy is then made, further revised and sent to the printer. In order that the composers who set the type may not know the decision of the case the foreman sets up the last few lines of the opinion, locks them in a safe, and after the opinion is set up he adds them to it, takes two proofs and forwards them under lock and key to the justice. It is again read and revised and sometimes completely altered and returned to the printer, corrected by the latter and nine revisions sent to the justice.

If the opinion is now satisfactory to the justice a copy is mailed to each member of the court. These are returned to the justice with the notations of the justices, and the opinion is revised or changed, if need be, to conform to their views. If there be a dissenting opinion the justice writing the majority opinion holds it until the dissent is completed.

Then on some Monday, the court being in session, the justice announces an opinion in the case, giving its number and title, and then proceeds to read it at length to the dozen people who may be present. If there be a dissenting opinion the justice writing the dissent reads it and announces the names of the justices who concur with him. Afterward the official reporter of the court sends a verified copy of the opinion to the publishers of the United States supreme court reports, and the case finally becomes one of thousands in the law libraries to be read and reread if of moment or to be forgotten if mere detail.—Independent.

The Secluded Duchess.

The Duchesse du Maine, who held her court at Sceaux during the reign of the regent, was an imperious old lady. One day, according to "A Princess of Strategy," when she was ill she complained to the doctor that he was not curing her quickly enough. What was the good, she wanted to know, of compelling her to go without so many things and making her live in seclusion? "But," replied the doctor, "your most serene highness has at present forty people at the chateau!" "Forty or fifty people?" said the duchesse. "Well, for a princess that is practically seclusion."

Not a Chance!

A man told another man a few days ago how he had been buttoning his wife's dress for five years and finally, in order to even the account, he had a shirt made to order with sixty-five buttons down the back.

"Did you make her button it?" eagerly inquired the second party, with a glad smile.

"I tried to and fell down like slipping on a banana skin," replied the first party. "She promptly told me to button the top button and let the others slide, explaining that they would not show when I had put on my coat."—Chicago Tribune.

Mehemet's Parliament.

When Disraeli was in Egypt—the story is told in Mr. Monypenny's biography—he met Mehemet Ali, who desired to introduce parliamentary institutions into his country. "I will have a parliament," he said, "and I will have as many parliaments as the king of England himself." So saying, his highness produced two lists of names. "See here," he said. "Here are my parliaments. But I have made up my mind, to prevent inconvenience, to elect them myself."

So Funny of Him.

Mrs. Lazenbee—Here's the man come to fix our clock. Go upstairs and get it for him, won't you? Mr. Lazenbee—It isn't upstairs, is it? Mrs. Lazenbee—Certainly. Where did you think it was? Mr. Lazenbee—I thought it had run down.—Catholic Standard and Times.

Presence of Mind.

Sarah Brum—How do I look in this hat? Sarah Bellum—Turn around and let me see the back of it, dear. Why, it's perfectly splendid!—Chicago Tribune.

Destiny bears us to our lot, and destiny is perhaps our own will.—Disraeli.

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A WHITE HOUSE JEST.

General Harrison's Objections to Monuments to "Vest."

As a general thing, one of the first duties of the wife of an incoming president and one of the things she usually enjoys heartily is to attend to such rearrangements and refurbishings of the White House as may be necessary or advisable according to her personal taste, the size and customs of her family, and so on.

I remember one occasion, writes Colonel William H. Crook in the Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post, when Mrs. Harrison had finally decided upon some slight architectural changes and had brought her architect's plans to the president and asked his opinion of them. General Harrison studied the drawings with care and noticed that several niches were left, each plainly marked. At last he said:

"Well, my dear, here is a place for Lincoln, and here is a place for Grant's bust. And you have left three places for Vest." Then he added, with well assumed indignation, "I am decidedly opposed to so many monuments to Vest—in the White House!"

Mrs. Harrison hastened to explain what her husband, of course, knew all the time—that the word "Vest" was the architect's contraction for vestibule, of which there were three on the plans, whereupon the president said he was satisfied and handed the drawings back to her, with a twinkle in his keen blue eyes.

The Idea of the Balloon.

The first practical idea of the balloon originated in the latter half of the eighteenth century, when the Montgolfier brothers, noticing how smoke rose upward into the air, conceived the idea of filling a bag with smoke. The development of this idea resulted in the construction of the first hot air balloon in June, 1783. This consisted of a spherical cloth bag about thirty-five feet in diameter and inflated over a fire fed with bundles of chopped straw. The next step was the use of hydrogen gas, and the balloon was practically invented as used today. The use of this gas was the idea of M. Charles, a professor of natural philosophy at Paris.

Not Perfect.

A horse dealer was showing a horse to a prospective buyer. After running him back and forward for a few minutes he stopped and said to the buyer: "What do you think of his coat? Isn't he a dandy?"

The buyer, noticing that the horse had the heaves, replied, "Yes, I like his coat all right, but I don't like his pants."—London Tit-Bits.

Shop Talk.

"If we didn't have to give back any change think of the money we merchants would make."

"We all have our troubles," said the magazine publisher. "Sometimes it frets me to have to print any reading matter, but I suppose it must be done."—Kansas City Journal.

FEAR GRACE HAS PERISHED IN SEA

American Born Aviator Lost in Long Flight.

DISAPPEARED IN HEAVY FOG

Warships and Wireless Vainly Seek Birdman Who Is Believed to Have Fallen Into the North Sea.

London, Dec. 24.—Extensive search of land and sea has not revealed a single trace of Cecil S. Grace, the aviator, who is a nephew of the late William R. Grace, who vanished from view after he had reascended at Calais, France, where he landed after crossing the channel from Dover and flying as far as the Belgian frontier.

Grace was competing for the prize of \$20,000 offered by Baron de Forest for the longest flight, including a crossing of the channel, by an Englishman in an English built machine, before the end of 1910. The captain of all incoming vessels have been appealed to for information, but so far no one has reported seeing the aeroplane.

The friends of Mr. Grace, who is a very popular young English sportsman, haven't yet abandoned hope of his safety. They think that if he fell into the sea after his petrol had become exhausted he may have been picked up by a passing vessel of some kind. The hopes for his safety are strengthened by the fact that he wore a cork jacket.

T. Sopwith had set a mark of 174 miles. Grahame White prepared for the competition, but met with a serious accident before he could get under way.

Faced Peril of Heavy Fog.

A heavy fog hung over the channel and hid Grace soon after he ascended at Dover. He crossed the channel safely and two hours and a half from the start passed over Calais.

He reached the Belgian frontier and was going fast after Sopwith's figure when he encountered adverse winds that compelled him to turn back. He alighted west of Calais, but again ascended, pointing his aeroplane toward Dover.

Grace was soon once more enveloped in the fog that had become more dense. Those who saw the start say he took a northeasterly course.

It is evident that he lost his bearings, for had he had his proper direction he would have reached Dover without trouble, for he had the power and his aeroplane must have behaved well.

Instead of approaching Dover, however, he was sighted later by coast guardsmen far to the northeast over the Goodwin Sands, the dangerous shoals that extend off the southeast coast of England, some seven miles east of Deal.

Seen Heading Over North Sea.

At this point he made a grave mistake in his reckoning, for with land but a few miles off his west he veered to the east, and when last seen was heading over the North Sea.

At this point he was swallowed up by the fog, and since then, except for the negative inferences from the absence of news, there has been nothing to throw light on his whereabouts. A false report that he had landed at Deal for a time cheered anxious friends, but when this was disproved every possible resource was appealed to to find him.

Warships and merchant vessels along the east coast were instructed to keep a sharp lookout, but their wireless exchanges have been all of the same tenor—nothing seen of the airman.

Mealtime automobile parties scoured the coast in the hope that Grace had descended at some out of the way spot, from which the lack of easy communication accounted for his failure to notify his friends of his safety.

COL. HIGGINSON IS 87

Historian and Author Celebrates Birthday at Cambridge Home.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 24.—Colonel T. Wentworth Higginson, abolitionist, author and historian, is eighty-seven years old. He held a reception at his home, 29 Buckingham street, Cambridge.

Many gifts of flowers, books and pictures were received. Among the books was a copy of a "Life of Moliere," by Brander Matthews, from the author.

Sends 25 Cents He Owed For Years.

New Wilmington, Pa., Dec. 24.—Dr. G. N. Neely received a letter containing "conscience" money from a man living in Waterloo, Iowa. The writer stated that years ago, while a student at Westminster college here, he became indebted to the doctor for 25 cents. The amount was never paid, but in recent years it has troubled him so that he felt it his duty to enclose double the original obligation.

Hurls Baby From Burning Home.

Chicago, Dec. 24.—Hemmed in by fire in an upper story, Mrs. E. J. Cox tied her year-old baby between two pillows and threw the infant out of a window. The bundle was safely caught by a neighbor, who then climbed a porch and assisted Mrs. Cox across a slippery roof and down to the street. The woman's house was destroyed.

MR. AND MRS. FRANK GOULD

Young Millionaire Arrives in New York With Actress Bride.



FRANK GOULDS HOME

Refuse to Talk About Their Marriage Abroad.

New York, Dec. 24.—Among the passengers arriving aboard the Cunard liner Lusitania were Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Gould, accompanied by Betty Kelly, Mrs. Gould's sister.

Mr. Gould returned looking very fit and said he had come back to get some Christmas turkey and spend the holidays. He would not discuss the question as to whether he had been married in Edinburgh or Paris, or both, while he was away. He said he had never made any statement as to the status of his personal affairs while on the other side.

ARMED MADMAN CUTS HOSPITAL NURSES

Cuts Bonds and Uses Knife With Serious Effect.

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 24.—Serious injury to two nurses and two patients and minor hurts to several other inmates of the "strong" ward of the city hospital resulted from a life and death fight with an insane man weighing 215 pounds and armed with a knife.

The fight lasted more than fifteen minutes, and during it beds, tables and chairs were upset.

Ferdinand Hoffman, the patient, became violent and was strapped to a cot. He obtained a knife in some unexplained manner and cut his bonds, mauling himself upon T. H. Smith, a nurse. E. F. Mitchell, a nurse, and W. Howe, a patient, were cut when they went to Smith's aid, Hoffman keeping up the struggle until William F. Kuhlman, a nurse in an adjoining ward, struck him on the head with a heavy cane.

BOURBON PRINCESS BORN

Daughter For Prince Charles and Princess Louise.

Madrid, Dec. 24.—A daughter was born to the Princess Louise, wife of Prince Charles of Bourbon and daughter of the Countess of Paris.

Prince Charles and Princess Louise were married at the Duke of Orleans' estate, Wood Norton, in England, where the exiled king of Portugal is now a guest, in November, 1907.

Prince Charles of Bourbon belongs to the Two Sicilies branch of the Bourbons. He is a son of the late Comte de Caserta, who was a son of King Ferdinand II of Naples. Princess Louise is the youngest daughter of the late Count of Paris, who fought in the Civil War on the northern side.

Four Years For Bank Head.

Dallas, Tex., Dec. 24.—In the criminal court Fred Fleming, president of the defunct Western Bank and Trust company, which failed in January, 1908, was adjudged guilty of accepting deposits after he knew the bank was insolvent. He was given a four year sentence in the penitentiary. The bank had liabilities of \$1,500,000 when it failed.

Gives Xmas Present to 5000 Boys.

New York, Dec. 24.—Mr. Clarence H. Mackay, president of the Postal Telegraph Cable company and the Commercial Cable company, has sent a woolen "sweater" as a personal Christmas gift from him to every messenger boy employed by his companies in America—about 5000.

To Raise Monitor Puritan.

Washington, Dec. 24.—The monitor Puritan, sunk in Chesapeake bay some weeks ago as a result of experiments with explosive gelatin, will be raised by the Merritt-Chapman Wrecking company for \$23,000.

WILL OPPOSE LORIMER REPORT

Opposition in Senate Assumes Formidable Proportions.

BITTER FIGHT IS COMING

Insurgents, Aided by Democrats, Will Oppose Adoption of Report as It Came From the Committee.

Washington, Dec. 24.—As the report of the committee on privileges and elections on the Lorimer case is gradually unfolded before the gaze of senators, the more unpopular its conclusions become.

The opposition to the adoption of the report, which seemed incredible at the outset, is now assuming formidable proportions. It is now certain that a determined fight is to be waged in the senate against the adoption of the report as it came from a majority of the committee.

Senators Beveridge, Borah, Cummins, La Follette, Culberson, Raynor and possibly others may be heard in opposition to the conclusions of the report.

The controversy turns on the issue raised by Senator Frazer in his minority statement from the subcommittee, in which he declared that instead of four votes only being in question, the number is really seven, which includes not only the votes of legislators who admitted that they were bribed, but of three who, according to the testimony, were charged with having offered bribes for votes. The seven votes, if thrown out as tainted, would give Senator Lorimer fewer than a majority of the legislature, and in the opinion of some of the senate leaders would invalidate his title to his seat in that body.

There is no doubt that Senator Lorimer will have his right to his seat validated by the action of the senate, for it is certain he has a majority of the senate on his side of the controversy, but it is now almost certain that the debate on the adoption of the report will be prolonged and acrimonious.

The senate leaders had hoped to have the incident closed by the prompt adoption of the report of the committee. To this end strong pressure was brought to bear on Democrats and Republicans in the committee on privileges and elections to bring about a unanimous report. Senator Frazer is said to have complained that his position in the committee was becoming irksome on account of the importunities aimed at him to induce him to subscribe without question to the findings of the committee.

BRYAN'S POSSIBILITIES

Folk, Gaynor, Harmon and Wilson Suggested For 1912.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 24.—Disclaiming for a second time any intention to become a presidential candidate in 1912, William J. Bryan in the Commoner suggests four Democratic possibilities, Joseph W. Folk, Mayor Gaynor, of New York; Governor Harmon, of Ohio, and Governor-elect Wilson, of New Jersey, in the order named. He makes no choice among the four, but publishes their records, as follows:

"Folk was an active supporter of Bryan and Sewall in 1896 and has supported the Democratic national ticket in all the presidential campaigns since. "Mayor Gaynor in 1896 was one of the few prominent Democrats in the east who stood up for the party creed and ticket, and he has been faithful ever since.

"Governor Harmon, then a member of Mr. Cleveland's cabinet, did not vote in 1896, but in 1900 presided at Mr. Bryan's meeting at Cincinnati."

While by intimation classing Woodrow Wilson as a bolter in 1896, Bryan praises him for his attitude in the contest for the New Jersey senatorship.

Took Poison For Cough Medicine.

New York, Dec. 24.—Mrs. Josephine Barone, of 2171 Second avenue, died after taking a dose of what she supposed was cough medicine. Susie, her five-year-old daughter, had a cold, but objected to taking medicine. "It's easy to take," said the mother, as she poured out a spoonful. As soon as she swallowed it she was taken with convulsions. There was a poison label on the bottle, but Mrs. Barone couldn't read English.

Vertigo Affects His Memory.

Wilmington, Del., Dec. 24.—Soon after his return from a business trip by wagon to Chester, Alfred D. Hanby, aged seventy years, of Carpenter, Del., aware county, Pa., was stricken with vertigo. When he revived he suffered from loss of memory, being unable to recall any of the events of the day. He is improving, but his memory is still affected.

Start Big Silk Plant.

Chester, Pa., Dec. 24.—Yesterday the first complete product of the American Viscose company's mammoth silk plant at Marcus Hook was turned out. The material is made from wood pulp. The main factory is five stories high, and covers an immense area. It is expected that within a few months over 3000 operatives will be employed.

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SCHEDULE IN EFFECT SEPT 25, 1910. Trains leave Gettysburg DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY, as follows:
8:42 a. m., for Baltimore, Hanover and all intermediate points.
10:08 a. m., for Fairfield, Pen Mar, Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Hancock, Cumberland, Elkins and all points westward.
1 p. m. for New Oxford, Hanover, York and intermediate points.
3:42 p. m., for Baltimore, Hanover, York and all intermediate points.
5:45 p. m., for B. & H. Division Points to Highfield, also Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Shippensburg and Hancock.

Sundays Only

Sunday trains arrive at Gettysburg at 10:35 a. m.
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Election Notice

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the Benderville National Bank at Benderville, Pa., that the annual meeting of said stockholders for the election of directors for the ensuing year will be held at the banking house in Benderville, Adams county, Pa., on Tuesday, January 10, 1911, between the hours of 11 and 12 o'clock in the forenoon.

I. C. BUCHER,
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WITH every pound of Kenny Blended Coffee you receive a handsome plate, "The Coming of Santa Claus" at Miller's, the cash grocer and confectioner.

C. B. Hoffman will furnish dressed chickens on short notice.

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BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure
The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar
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DULPIT TOPICS


ST. JAMES LUTHERAN
At six o'clock in the morning the dawn service will be held with the cantata "The Adoration" rendered by a choir of thirty in costume. This service will be preceded by a trombone solo in the steeple at a quarter till six. At ten o'clock there will be preaching service with sermon on "The Neglected Features of Christmas Day." In the evening at seven o'clock the Sunday School will render the service "Gloria in Excelsis."

REFORMED
On account of Christmas being on Sunday, the customary services at six o'clock will be omitted and held at 10.30 a. m., with the addition of a short sermon. The Christmas Sunday School service will be held in the evening at 7 o'clock. The Sunday School Christmas service at St. Mark's will be held on Saturday evening beginning at 7 o'clock.

CATHOLIC
High mass 6 a. m., followed by low mass; high mass 10; vespers and benediction 7. Sermon at 6 and 10 in the morning. Mass daily during the week at 7.30 a. m.

UNITED BRETHREN
The services on Sabbath morning will be thirty minutes earlier than usual. Sabbath School 9 o'clock and Christmas sermon 10 o'clock. It is to be a prompt, earnest, cheery service with familiar Christmas hymns and dismissal at 11 o'clock. Christmas sermon at Salem in the evening.

EPISCOPAL
First service at 12 o'clock midnight; other services 10.30 and 6.30. Christmas tree on Wednesday evening.

METHODIST
Christmas services on Saturday evening at 7.00 o'clock. Sunday school at 9.30 Sunday morning; Epworth League at 6.15 Sunday evening; and preaching at 7.00. Subject of sermon "A Christless World." A welcome to all services. L. Dow Ott, pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN
Special Christmas exercises, with stereopticon views illustrating the nativity will be held this evening at 6.30. Sunday School Sunday morning at 9.45; morning service 11.00, subject: "The Christmas Thought." Junior Christian Endeavor 3.30; Senior Christian Endeavor 6.15; evening service 7.00, subject: "The Promise of His Coming." At the Christmas service offerings for the poor will be received and a special collection for Foreign Missions.

COLLEGE LUTHERAN
Morning church service at 10.30; Sunday School 1.30; the Christian Endeavor service will be omitted. Sunday School Christmas exercises at 6.30. Dr. Granville will make an address and there will be an anthem "The Song of the Ages." Miss Rachel Skelly singing the solo part and Mr. Victor Hausknecht playing a violin obligato.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN
Sunday School 5.30 a. m.; preaching 7 p. m.

A. M. E. ZION
The Christmas exercises will be held at A. M. E. Zion church tomorrow night beginning at 8 o'clock. There will be singing and speaking by the children and adults. Prof. Jenkins will preside at the organ. A beautifully decorated Christmas tree will be in the church. J. C. Johnson, pastor.

ASBURY M. E.
Services will be observed as usual in Asbury M. E. church Sunday at 11 a. m. The pastor will preach on the subject, "The Wisdom of the Wise Men;" in the evening on "The Manger and the Palace." Visitors welcome. W. A. English.

SPAIN PASSES "PADLOCK BILL"

Clericals Defeated by an Overwhelming Majority.

VICTORY FOR THE PREMIER

Measure to Prohibit the Establishment of Religious Establishments Passed After a Stormy All-Night Session.

Madrid, Dec. 24.—After a stormy all-night session the chamber of deputies passed the government's "padlock bill" by a vote of 198 to 20. The final fight was waged until the deputies were well exhausted physically. Amendment after amendment was voted down. Canalejas intervened and in a strong speech disclaimed hostility on the government's part toward the religious orders. He insisted, nevertheless, upon the passage of the bill, that the government might resume complete negotiations with Rome.

Carlist Leader Surrenders.
Senor Salaberry, the integralist, declared the opposition would fight to the bitter end, but Vasquez Mella y Candido, the Carlist leader, finally surrendered, saying that he did so out of pity for the stenographers, after, however, making a final protest on behalf of the pope.

This is a notable victory for Premier Canalejas, obtained after a bitter fight, involving not only opposition in Spain, but the Vatican, whose seal of disapproval was set upon this legislation even before it had been submitted to the cortes.

As first drawn the bill prohibited the creation of further religious establishments in Spain until revision of the concordat had been completed or definite laws on the subject passed. In the senate the government accepted the amendment of Baron Sacre Lirio, limiting the period of interdiction against new congregations to two years.

The senate passed the measure on Nov. 4, the vote being 149 to 58. Its passage in the deputies was expected.

Objection by the Holy See.
Objection by the holy see was based on the contention that, whereas negotiations were under way for revision of the concordat, Spain could not in good faith adopt any legislation adversely affecting the congregations until these negotiations had been concluded. In the meantime the status quo should be maintained.

Canalejas insisted upon a program of religious liberty, and maintained that the matter covered by the "padlock bill" was not properly a subject of diplomatic exchanges between Madrid and Rome.

As a consequence of unchanged positions of government and Vatican, negotiations over the concordat were interrupted and the relations between Madrid and the holy see severely strained.

PHILIPPINE REBELS

American Forces Out to Teach Savages a Lesson.

Manila, Dec. 24.—The military authorities are using every effort to subdue the rebellious Manobos in the Davao district, province of Mindanao, and to put an end to their depredations. Brigadier General Pershing, the commander of the forces in Mindanao and acting chief of the army in the Philippines, said that the punitive expedition now operating against the Manobos will not end until the lives and property of American planters and peaceful natives in the Davao district are absolutely safe.

So far very few of the savages have been killed, but it is most imperative that they should be taught a lesson. The commander added that it was not the intention to use unnecessary severity.

Wilson Calls Off Inaugural Ball.

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 24.—Adjutant General Sadler announced that the proposed ball in the Trenton armory on the night of the day of Governor Wilson's inauguration has been declared off. It is understood that one of the reasons is that Governor Wilson was not partial to it and another is the fear that jealousies may be aroused in the sending out of invitations. There has been no inaugural ball for upward of twenty years.

Killed as Wall Falls.

Newark, N. J., Dec. 24.—The collapse of a temporary steel structure supporting the roof of an old theater undergoing reconstruction brought down a large portion of one wall upon seventy laborers working beneath. One man, a Pole, was killed and two others sustained serious injuries.

Boy Blows Burglar's Head Off.

Macon, Ga., Dec. 24.—While an unidentified burglar was wrestling with his mother in their home on the outskirts of Macon, Wickett Smith, aged twelve years, got his father's shotgun and blew the stranger's head off.

New Navy Chaplain.

Washington, Dec. 24.—Rev. LeRoy Nelson Taylor, of Schenectady, N. Y., a Methodist, has been appointed a chaplain in the navy.

LEFT \$1,000,000 TO CHARITY

Will of Philadelphia Woman Provides Summer Home For Poor Children. Philadelphia, Dec. 24.—Announcement of a Christmas gift of more than \$1,000,000 to poor children and single women in Philadelphia and neighboring cities was made when the will of Mrs. Elizabeth Williamson Garrett, widow of Caspar S. Garrett, was probated.

The testament provides for the maintenance of a 200 acre farm in Delaware county, near Newtown Square, the birthplace of Mrs. Garrett, as a summer home for poor children and single women who are obliged to earn their own livelihood and who may desire temporary rest on a farm. The executors are directed to procure a charter of incorporation for the institution, which is to be known as the Garrett Williamson Lodge. While there are a number of minor bequests to relatives and friends, the bulk of the estate goes to the foundation of the charity.

SHIP GIVEN UP AS LOST

Steamer St. Denis, With Crew of 28, Long Overdue.

Mexico City, Dec. 24.—The steamship St. Denis, belonging to the Salvador Etemship company, is given up as lost.

The St. Denis left Vancouver, B. C., on Nov. 19, bound for Salina Cruz laden with coal, and should have made port within ten days at the latest. The vessel had a crew of twenty-eight men, with Captain Davis in command.

TWO SONS KILLED AS MOTHER SHOPS

Children Locked in Room Burned to Death at Dover, N. J.

Dover, N. J., Dec. 24.—While Mrs. William Sombo was shopping for Christmas two of her children, whom she had locked in a room on the second floor, were burned to death. The children were aged two and one-half and six years respectively.

A neighbor discovered the fire and breaking into the house, tried to pull the little ones out of bed, where they had sought refuge. One of the children was so badly burned that he died in a few minutes and the other was dead in the bed.

MRS. LONGWORTH WHISTLES

Discards Use of Bell or Horn on Her Automobile.

Washington, Dec. 24.—Whistling girls and crowing hens may come to a bad end in Washington, but they do not care if they do, and society is whistling itself gaily into the holiday season.

It's a new fad. If you cannot whistle or not learning to whistle, you must hunt some nice man to teach you.

Mrs. Nicholas Longworth started the craze and is doing great work in keeping it up. She whistles on the streets in her automobile and on her shopping trips. The honk honk and the electric bell on Mrs. Longworth's automobile are getting rusty from lack of use. When she reaches the cross walks she whistles and pedestrians make a dash for safety.

BOY BROKER TO FACE TRIAL

Charged With Swindling Customers Out of \$400,000 in Stock Deal.

Boston, Dec. 24.—Robert E. Davie, the missing boy broker, who is accused of swindling customers out of \$400,000 or more by means of stock deals and for whom a warrant has been issued, is coming back to Boston and will surrender himself to the police.

Davie is now on a ranch owned by his uncle in a small town thirteen miles from Denver. It is understood Davie is practically penniless.

Twenty Life Prisoners Freed.

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 24.—The doors of Alabama's prisons were thrown open to more than 100 convicts pardoned and paroled by Governor Comer for Christmas. Among them are twenty life prisoners and fully forty convicts imprisoned for homicide.

Fight In Peru.

Lima, Peru, Dec. 24.—Insurgents made an attack on a train near San Mateo. Several persons were killed and wounded. The insurgents secured 11,300 soles, about \$424, in loot. No new ministry has yet been formed.

WEATHER EVERYWHERE.

Observations of United States weather bureau taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

	Temp.	Weather.
Albany.....	39	Cloudy.
Atlantic City....	40	Cloudy.
Boston.....	38	Cloudy.
Buffalo.....	38	Rain.
Chicago.....	26	Snow.
New Orleans....	46	Cloudy.
New York.....	41	Cloudy.
Philadelphia....	38	Cloudy.
St. Louis.....	30	Clear.
Washington.....	36	Rain.

Weather Forecast.

Rain or snow today; tomorrow, fair; much cooler; brisk winds.

TETRAZZINI SINGS IN STREET

Will Take Part In Unique Open Air Concert In San Francisco.

San Francisco, Dec. 24.—A delegation of clubwomen appealed to Mayor McCarthy to stop Tetrazzini from singing at Lotta's fountain in front of the Chronicle building tonight because of the danger to the lives of the immense crowd.

The mayor decided that the police could control any crowd that might gather and he refused to order the unique open air concert transferred to Golden Gate park, as the clubwomen desired.

Chief of Police Seymour thinks 20,000 people will be massed within the sound of the diva's voice and that 100,000 will crowd Market and adjacent streets. The weather is like spring.

BURGLAR'S BLAST FATAL

Explosive Left In Safe Door Kills a Repair Man.

Chicago, Dec. 24.—Attempts of burglars two weeks ago to rob a building in Kimmel, Ind., resulted in a man's death in Chicago.

The victim was trying to repair the damage done to a safe a fortnight ago. The safe had been brought to a repair company here, and Stephen Pavletik, a safe repairer, endeavored to open the door, which had been wedged shut and the combination dial destroyed.

A sledge hammer blow on the door to straighten a corner touched off a charge of nitro-glycerin which had been behind the door ever since the attempted robbery. The safe door was blown across the room, crushing the repair man's head.

NEW YORK HOSPITAL GETS \$1,500,000

Christmas Present For Presbyterian Institution.

New York, Dec. 24.—Announcement was made of a gift of more than \$1,500,000 to the Presbyterian hospital and of an alliance between the hospital and the medical department of Columbia university.

Edward S. Harkness offered a part of the money himself and presented \$1,200,000 on behalf of a donor whose name he said he wasn't at liberty to mention. Mr. Harkness refused to discuss the gift. It was said on pretty good authority, however, that the entire sum comes from the Harkness family. It is something of a memorial, according to a letter which Mr. Harkness wrote to Robert M. de Forest, vice president of the Presbyterian hospital, who made the announcement.

The agreement for an alliance between the hospital and college of physicians and surgeons has been under discussion for some time.

COOK HOPES TO BE BELIEVED

Will Devote Life to Convincing People He Thought He Reached Pole.

New York, Dec. 24.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook from a temporary refuge at the home of his brother in Brooklyn telephoned to his interviewers that he intended to devote his life to convincing the American people that he really thought that he had reached the North Pole.

When the traveler arrived from Europe he announced that he would go to the Waldorf-Astoria to spend the night. Instead, Dr. Cook went to the home of his brother in Brooklyn. Asked over the telephone if he was going to stay in this country, Dr. Cook replied:

"Certainly I am; most certainly I am. I never had any other intention than to return to my native land. I am an American citizen, entitled to protection under the American flag and I expect to claim that protection. My wife and my two children, who are now abroad, will shortly rejoin me and we will make our home here."

Big "Lean" Salmon Pack.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 24.—The combined salmon packs of Alaska, British Columbia and Puget Sound for the season of 1910 show an aggregate of 3,690,586 cases, valued at \$19,000,000, the largest "lean" year on record, according to the final figures compiled here.

GENERAL MARKETS

PHILADELPHIA — FLOUR quiet; winter clear, \$3.65@3.90; city mills, fancy, \$5.75@6. RYE FLOUR quiet, at \$4.45 per barrel. WHEAT steady; No. 2 red, new, 94@95c. CORN quiet; No. 2 yellow, local, 53@55c. OATS steady; No. 2 white, 38½c; lower grades, 37½c. POULTRY: Live steady; hens, 14@14½c; old roosters, 10½@11c. Dressed firm; turkeys, choice, 22@23c; choice fowls, 16c; old roosters, 12½c. BUTTER steady; extra creamery, 32c per lb. EGGS firm; selected, 42@44c; near-by, 37c; western, 37c. POTATOES steady, at 60@65c. per bushel.

Live Stock Markets.

PITTSBURG (Union Stock Yards)—CATTLE steady; choice, \$6.40@6.60; prime, \$6.25@6.35. SHEEP strong; prime wethers, \$4.40@4.10; culls and common, \$2@3; lambs, \$4.50@4.40; veal calves, \$9@10. HOGS slow; prime heavies, \$8.05@8.10; mediums, \$8.10@8.15; heavy Yorkers, \$8.10@8.15; light Yorkers, \$8.15@8.20; pigs, \$8.15@8.20; roughs, \$6.75@7.25.

"FORT BLUNDER."

It Was Erected by Our Government on Canadian Soil.

It is not generally known that our government once undertook to erect a fort on British soil. The site of this fort, afterward called Fort Montgomery, was about half a mile northeast of Rouse's Point, N. Y., not far from the foot of Lake Champlain. Popularly it was known as "Fort Blunder." It appears that after the war of 1812 our government felt the necessity of guarding the entrance to Lake Champlain. Accordingly in 1815 was begun the erection of Fort Montgomery. The original notion was to construct a great fort. In those days that meant a fort with three tiers of guns.

When the work had been in hand for some time it was discovered that, owing to an error of early surveyors, the actual boundary between New York and Canada, the forty-fifth parallel of north latitude, passed south of the fort. Work on the fort was suspended for about twenty-five years, and not until the year 1842 was the territory restored to the United States. The agreement known as the Webster-Ashburton treaty, establishing the northeastern boundary, made the line between New York and Canada conform to the old and incorrect early survey. Thus "Fort Blunder" was again on United States territory. The people of Maine, it is said, never quite forgave Daniel Webster for giving up, as they claimed he did, a great slice of territory to which they thought themselves entitled in order to save Rouse's Point.

After the boundary question was settled the fort was finished, but it was never manned by more than sufficient men to keep it in order, and it was never armed.—Harper's Weekly.

PIANO HARDWARE.

Men Who Buy Parts and Repair Their Instruments at Home.

One's notion of piano hardware is likely to be that it is material of various sorts used in the manufacture and repair of pianos, an idea that would be in the main correct, but at the same time there is more or less of such material sold at retail to private owners of pianos who may be skilled in the use of tools and who undertake to do their own repairing to save expense, and such purchasers may include men who have no knowledge of music, though they may have the mechanical expertise required for the job.

Obviously no great skill is required in replacing a broken caster. A man can buy a single caster and put it on himself if he wants to, or he could in like manner replace a broken hinge or a screw, and he can buy any of these things. But the home repairer does more ambitious work still—as, for instance, he may replace a broken wire. He can buy piano wire of precisely the right gauge, and he may undertake this job and get away with it, or he may replace one or more broken keys or hammers. Not long since a man who had bought a pretty well worn secondhand piano for \$15 bought for it a complete new set of hammers, which he put on himself.

Only men of real skill can do such jobs as this, but in a town of this size there are enough men who do their own piano repairing to make it pay to keep piano hardware on sale at retail. —New York Sun.

Two Freaks of Nature.

Two contrasting freaks of nature are the Island of Fire and the Lake of Snow. The Island of Fire is called the Home of Hot Devils. It is situated in the midst of a large lake of boiling mud in the island of Java. The steam and gases which arise from the sticky mud form themselves into bubbles attaining a diameter of five or six feet and sailing high up in the air like balloons, carried hither and thither by the wind and finally exploding with a loud crash.

The biggest snow lake is seen from the summit of Hispar pass, in the Karakorum range. It is more than 300 square miles in area. In Switzerland the sea of ice might better be called the sea of snow, as the surface is broken up by solar heat, which makes a minute fissuring in the ice, giving it the appearance of snow.

A Shrewd Answer.

Among the advertisements in an English paper there recently appeared the following: "The gentleman who found a purse with money in Burford street is requested to forward it to the address of the loser, as he was recognized."

A few days later this reply was inserted: "The recognized gentleman who picked up a purse in Burford street requests the loser to call at his house."

Her Blunder.

"What makes you think she's uncultured?" "She thinks Ibsen's plays are stupid." "Well, a lot of people think so." "Yes, but she says so."—Cleveland Leader.

Repatee.

"We need brains in this business, young man." "You needn't tell me that, sir. Your business shows it."—Baltimore American.

Always Waiting.

Dashaway—You have splendid looking clothes, old man. Who is your tailor? Cleverton—He's the first man you see as you go out.—Life.

Both man and woman kind bellow their nature when they are not kind.—Bailey.

THE ONLY WAY

Many Gettysburg Citizens Have Discovered It.

Just what to do when the kidneys are affected, is a question that concerns both young and old. Weak kidneys neglected in childhood lead to life-long suffering. People of advanced years, with less vitality, suffer doubly. In youth or age, languor, backache, urinary irregularity, dizziness and nervousness make life a burden.

There is one remedy that acts directly on the kidneys and cures these troubles. Doan's Kidney Pills owe their world-wide fame to the fact that they cure sick kidneys and cure them permanently. Follow the example of this Gettysburg citizen and you will be convinced that this is so.

Mrs. Frank Tawney, 28 Breckenridge street, Gettysburg, Pa., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have been used in my family with excellent results."

I publicly endorsed them 2 years ago and hold just as high an opinion of them at this time. A member of my family was afflicted with kidney trouble for years and probably inherited it. This person suffered a great deal from pains in his back and sides and was unable to control the kidney secretions. A cold always aggravated the complaint. When I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised, I procured a box at the People's Drug Store and their use effected a complete cure." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

GET NEW DEVICE

An electric cancelling machine has been received at the Gettysburg post office and will facilitate greatly in handling the mails. The machine has not yet been installed but will be put in service shortly after Christmas. On Friday eighty pouches and sacks of mail were dispatched from the local office.

TERRIER FOR CONGRESSMAN

J. Victor Wambaugh, of Glen Rock, presented Congressman D. F. Lafean with a thoroughbred Boston bull terrier. The presentation was, at Mr. Wambaugh's request, made through State Assemblyman Robert S. Frey. Mr. Lafean is much pleased with the gift.

FOR RENT: new house, six rooms, bath, hot water plant. Possession at once. Apply at this office.

CATTLE DIE FROM DEHORNING

George Dentler, of route 6 Gettysburg, had the misfortune to have two cows die for him following dehorning.

COMING EVENTS

- Dec. 25—Christmas.
- Dec. 30—"The Climax." Walter's Theatre.
- Jan. 1—New Year's Day.
- Jan. 1-7—Week of Prayer in various town churches.
- Jan. 4—College Days, Walter's Theatre.
- Jan. 13—Basket Ball, Albright College Gymnasium.
- Jan. 13—Liquor license court.
- Jan. 21—Basket Ball, Franklin and Marshall College Gymnasium.
- Jan. 23—January term of court.
- Jan. 28—Basket ball, Indians College Gymnasium.

ADAMS' Argood Chocolates at Buehler's Drug Store.

SPECIAL for Christmas dinner, vanilla, chocolate, strawberry, caramel, and orange water ice. Gettysburg Ice and Storage Co. Both phones.

THE Free sewing machine is sold by Chas. S. Mumper.

THE time—from 7 a. m. to 12 night. The place—Raymond's Cafe. The food—always good. Ask the Girl—she'll be glad to come.

FOR SALE: nine room brick house, heat and bath, good stable and all necessary outbuildings. Apply William D. Gilbert, Gettysburg Foundry.

WANTED tenant for Pfeffer property to work for lessor. Apply to Wm. H. Johns.

DID you see the Free sewing machine at Chas. S. Mumper's.

ADAMS' Argood Chocolates at Buehler's Drug Store.

NOTICE: brooms made to order. Bring your corn. P. S. Peters, Bend-ersville.

CHALMERS DETROIT & Matheson Six. Automobile repairs. For repairs and adjustments by expert mechanic on the above named cars apply J. D. care Times Office.

DONT' fail to look for Henry Kalbfleisch's ad on another page. It may interest you.

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For Xmas We Have

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General Electric Toasters, Emeralite Portables for Desk, Piano and Table
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Can supply anything not in stock and deliver in 24 hours.

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Tubing,
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and the softer Reds. Quite a few are delightfully blended. The shades screw tightly on the lamps, which are all solidly built and stand firmly. The lamps conform in design with the shades
We Invite You to Look at Them at the Gas Company Store, Baltimore Street.

Gettysburg Gas Company.

The Letter Y.
Why is the letter "y" like a spend-thrift son? Because, you see, it makes pa pay.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local application, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube.

When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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AFTER SOLFERINO.

"The Gentleman in White" and the
Idea of the Red Cross.

During the Italian war of 1859 young Jean Dunant was traveling in that country. After the battle of Solferino he visited the field, and, seeing the terrible sufferings of the wounded soldiers who lay around unattended, he, with the assistance of several peasant women, formed an ambulance service, with its headquarters in a little church at Castiglione. He helped with his own hands to bind up the wounds of Frenchmen, Italians and Austrians alike.

"They are all brothers," he said. "A wounded enemy is an enemy no longer." And he and his corps of helpers brought water and medicine and smoothed the pallets of straw and cheered the unfortunates and closed the eyes of the dead and performed the last kind offices for the dying. Dunant was regarded by the hundreds of wounded as a miracle of goodness—little less than an angel. "The gentleman in white" was the way in which the officers spoke of him as he moved around among the sick, his light clothing making him conspicuous on the field.

His experiences at Solferino, where he saw that the willing hands of a few untrained helpers actually saved many lives and comforted hundreds of others, inspired him with the grand idea of an organization—the Red Cross.—Christian Herald.

COSTLY DROP CURTAIN.

The One Meissonier Didn't Paint For a
French Theater.

The enterprising manager of a theater called upon the famous French artist Jean Louis Ernest Meissonier on one occasion and asked him to paint a drop scene for a certain theater and name his own terms.

"You have seen my pictures, then?" asked Meissonier.

"Oh, yes," exclaimed the manager, "but it is your name I want! It will draw crowds to my theater."

"And how large do you wish this curtain to be?" inquired the artist.

"Ah, well, we will say 15 by 18 meters."

Meissonier took up a pencil and proceeded to make a calculation. At last he looked up and said, with imperious gravity:

"I have calculated and find that my pictures are valued at 80,000 francs per meter. Your curtain, therefore, will cost you just 21,600,000 francs. But that is not all. It takes me twelve months to paint twenty-five centimeters of canvas. It will therefore take me just 190 years to finish your curtain. You should have come to me earlier, monsieur. I am too old for the undertaking now. Good morning."

Arabic Numerals.

An illustration of what mankind owes to the labor saving Arabic numerals compared with preceding forms of notation is shown in adding 1848 to 1848, the sum of which is expressed in only four figures, or 3696. Meantime in Roman characters we would have to denote 1848 with the capital letters MDCCCXLVIII. Repeating these letters explains why Cicero complained of the sweating toil of all addition. On that account Homer's total of Agamemnon's fleet is not the correct sum of the different contingents to it which he gives of the Grecian states. Herodotus is worse yet when he gives the total figures of Xerxes' army after enumerating the quota of the various nationalities which composed it. Likewise what a life insurance company would now do without Arabic numerals may be imagined.—Dr. William Hanna Thomson in Designer.

How Machinery Breathes.

An English writer on engineering subjects, Mervyn O'Gorman, calls attention to the fact that a piece of machinery, such as an automobile, laid aside after being used in danger of internal rusting through a kind of respiration which affects cylinders, gear boxes, clutch chambers, interspaces in ball bearings, and so forth. Every inclosed air space "breathes" by drawing in air when a fall of temperature contracts its walls and expelling it when the walls expand through heat. The moisture introduced with the air is deposited in the cavities and may produce serious damage through rust. The popular belief that oil will protect the inaccessible parts of unused machinery is fallacious, since nearly all oils take up about 3 per cent of water in solution.

Acts of the Apostles.

The weight of testimony is in favor of St. Luke as the author of the Acts of the Apostles, though some respectable critics claim that the authorship is quite unknown. There are no sure data for determining the date of the Acts. Various dates have been ascribed. Some think that it was written about the year 80, while others hold that it could not have been written before the second century, about A. D. 125.—New York American.

A Hard Stunt.

"A man can do almost anything when he discovers that he must."

"Have you ever felt that you must get upstairs at 2 a. m. without waking your wife?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Sensitive Child.

Uncle Gus—So this is the baby, eh? I used to look just like him at that age. What's he crying about now? Niece Susie—Oh, Uncle Gus, he heard what you said.—Chicago News.

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A Chain of Evidence It Convicted a Man of a Crime He Had Not Committed.

By MARGARET BARR
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In January, 1908, Gustav Jinsinger, a literary man, and his wife, Mary Jinsinger, rented a house at 145 Croker street, in the city of London. They lived apparently happily together till the husband took in Ruth Kirkwood, a typist and stenographer. From that time the author and the typist were seen by the neighbors to be frequently together, and Mrs. Jinsinger was observed often in tears. She was in poor health, and a specialist in brain diseases was seen to make visits to the house.

On the 10th of March, 1908, Mrs. Jinsinger was seen for the last time at her home. Miss Martha Ellison, living opposite, saw her enter her house and close the front door behind her. No one after this date saw her come out. Her husband and Ruth Kirkwood were seen to come out and go away, both separately and together. On the 30th of April vans appeared before their door and removed the furniture. Miss Ellison saw Mr. Jinsinger and the typist leave the house together.

The next occupants of the house were Peter Hartigan and John Flynn. They were old men, living exclusive lives, wearing the meanest clothing and evidently very poor. They left the premises after occupying them three months, never having paid any rent. The agent for the house reported that he went to it and found it deserted. No one saw them move out, and it was supposed that they had done so at night when no one was about.

During the autumn of 1910 No. 145 Croker street was razed to make room for a business block. The cellar was widened and deepened to fit the new structure. Several feet under the old cellar floor the excavators came upon a human body, or, rather, the remains of a body, that had been considerably eaten away by quicklime or some destructive agent. The place of burial and the attempted destruction of the body excited suspicion. The case was reported to the police, who made inquiries as to the past occupants of the premises, and the doings of the Jinsingers came to light. On chemical analysis the body was found to contain traces of arsenic.

The case at once arrested the attention of detectives. The appearance of the typist, the facts of Mrs. Jinsinger's depression and that she had not been seen to leave the house seemed to indicate that Jinsinger and Miss Kirkwood had been lovers and that they had removed Mrs. Jinsinger that they might marry. If Jinsinger could be found living with the typist there would be sufficient evidence against him to convict him before any jury. A hunt was made for the author, but for a long while nothing was heard of him. At last it was learned that he, accompanied by a girl, had sailed for America. A detective crossed in a faster steamer, arrested him and the girl, who proved to be Miss Kirkwood, and took both to London for trial.

Jinsinger was convicted principally on the evidence that has been stated here. Miss Kirkwood was acquitted of being an accessory to the murder after the fact. Jinsinger was sentenced to be hanged, according to the English law, about three weeks after his conviction.

One morning in the spring of 1908 Edward Burnes, a tinner living on the outskirts of London, on going out to work found a woman lying unconscious before his door. He carried her into the house and put her under the care of his wife. She soon regained consciousness, but could give no account of herself. She could not even remember her name. She was permitted to spend the day in the tinner's house, and when he returned in the evening he reported the case to a physician. Through the doctor's influence the woman was removed to a hospital, where she was entered as a permanent patient. Two years after her going there one morning on taking up a newspaper she gave a shriek. She had seen a notice of the coming execution of Gustav Jinsinger. A number of persons collected about her and learned from her that the name Jinsinger had brought back her memory. She said she was the woman for whose murder Jinsinger was to be executed.

A reprieve was granted to Jinsinger, who, on proof of the identity of his wife, was released. Subsequently the detectives made a hunt for Peter Hartigan and John Flynn. After a long search they found Hartigan and demanded to know what had become of Flynn. He contradicted himself in his replies and, being further questioned by experts in such cases, finally told that while the two lived together at 145 Croker street the house had been infested with rats. Hartigan had bought arsenic with which to poison them. One night Flynn, being ill, arose in the dark for some medicine he had been taking, got hold of the arsenic by mistake and died from taking a large dose. Fearing that he would be accused of having poisoned Flynn, Hartigan had endeavored to destroy the body with quicklime; but, failing to do so entirely, he had buried what was left of it in the cellar.

Hartigan, being asked why he had not called in medical assistance for Flynn, gave two reasons for his failure to do so—first, Flynn had died very soon after taking the arsenic; second, Flynn was a miser with £10,000 hoarded. Hartigan, after Flynn's death, secured this money and left the premises in the night.

FORGOT THE KEY.

Then the Locksmith Showed Him How to Open the Door.

When Mr. and Mrs. Eastend started out to spend the evening in pursuance of an engagement they paused on the front steps long enough for Mrs. E. to propound the usual query, "Have you got the key, dear?"

"Yes, I guess so," said Mr. E. "Wait a minute. No, I haven't, either. What do you think of that? Must have left it on the dresser."

"Well, here's a pretty how-de-do!" exclaimed Mrs. E. as her consort savagely but fruitlessly rummaged his pockets. "How are we going to get in to get it?"

Hubby first tried the lower windows, to find them all carefully locked. Neighbors awoke to the situation and began to be helpful. "Get a ladder," said one. "Get a jimmy," said another. "Get an aeroplane," said a third.

Various other expedients, ranging from derriks to dynamite, were suggested. Finally one neighbor brought a ladder which wouldn't reach the second story windows by six feet. It was suggested that the fire department be summoned. Rejected.

By this time the engagement had to be called off, and the remarks Mrs. E. was making to the female contingent of the assemblage will not here be recorded. As a last resort a locksmith was suggested, and Mr. E. departed in search of one. At the end of an hour he returned with a stolid looking German bearing an armful of tools.

"Vieh too?" he inquired. "This one," said Mrs. E., "and for goodness' sake don't jimmy it nor dynamite it unless you have to!"

"Dot's all right," grunted the workman. Then he extended his hand and tried the knob. It turned. The catch had not caught. The door swung open. He turned and gave the assemblage an expressive glance.

And now when Mr. and Mrs. E. leave their little home of an evening some neighbor is sure to stick his head out of a window and kindly inquire, "Have you got the key?"—Pittsburg Gazette-Times.

BLIND TO GOOD LUCK.

Fable of the Weary Farmer and the Golden Plow.

There was once a Benevolent Fairy who was accustomed to doing Good Deeds in Whimsical Ways. One day she was flying across the country to attend a meeting of the A. O. B. F. when she noticed a Farmer laboring in the fields. His horse was Attenuated and Deceitful, and his plow was Heavy and Old Fashioned. Often he would pause and wipe the sweat from his brow. Plainly he was having a Hard Time.

The Benevolent Fairy watched him a moment and observed his Haggard Look and his general air of Misery. Suddenly an Idea came to her—to make this man Rich, so that he would no longer have to delve and struggle to eke out a Bare Living. So she swooped down and touched the plow with her wand—she was, of course, invisible—and instantly it was changed to Solid Gold. Then with an amused but kindly backward glance the Benevolent Fairy went on her way.

A year later, remembering the occurrence, she flew over to see how the Farmer was enjoying his Good Fortune. She found him in the fields, plowing laboriously, and if anything he and his surroundings looked Meaner and More Miserable than they had before. Much surprised, the Fairy flew closer, just in time to hear him murmur:

"I wish this ding-busted plow warn't so heavy!"

The Benevolent Fairy eyed him pityingly; then she once more touched the plow with her wand, and it again became a thing of wood and iron. Then she flew away, and the Farmer resumed his Toil.

After all, are there not some folk who would die of thirst adrift on a river?—Clifton B. Dowd in Lippincott's.

A Duel in Undress.

Dueling, though not dead, was dying out even in Rogers' time and was not taken very seriously. The poet's biographer tells the quaint story of how Mr. Humphrey Howarth, a surgeon, when called out made his appearance in the field stark naked. The astonished challenger asked him what he meant. "I know," said Howarth. "That if any part of the clothing is carried into the body by a gunshot wound festering ensues, and therefore I have met you thus." His antagonist declared that fighting a man in puris naturalibus would be quite ridiculous, and accordingly they parted without further discussion.

Definite.

"Madam"—a census taker was speaking to her who answered his knock—"how many children over six and under twenty-one years of age have you?"

"Lemme see," she reflected; "lemme see. Waal, sir, thar be two over six an' two under twenty-one."—Everybody's.

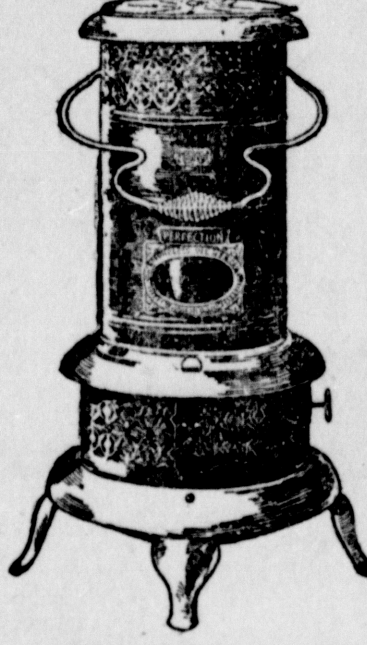
Prepositions.

A correspondent of the New York Sun says he overheard the following: "The boys came out from over in between those houses." Here are five prepositions in a bunch. Can this "record" be broken?

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MARCHED AND MUNCHEd.

The Soldiers Who Didn't Steal the Apples Ate Them.

A reprimand which takes the form of a joke is sometimes more effectual than a burst of anger. Such an example was furnished by a Confederate officer and described by T. O. Moore in his "Anecdotes of General Cleburne." The southern army, marching across the mountains of Georgia, had its supply trains cut off and was obliged to live upon the country.

Apples, chestnuts and persimmons were plenty, but the army had strict orders not to deplete upon private property. One day I was trudging along in the rear of General Granbury's brigade when I saw down the road General Cleburne sitting on the top rail of a fence, while below him lay five or six bushels of fine red apples. Near by stood a number of soldiers, who looked as mean as men could look.

General Granbury saluted General Cleburne, who remarked:

"I'm peddling apples today."

"How's that?"

"These gentlemen," pointing to the soldiers who had stolen the apples, "have been very kind. They have gathered apples for me and charged nothing. I'll give them to you and your men. Now get down and take one, and each of your men take one—only one, mind you—until all are gone."

The invitation was accepted, the men cheering for "Old Pat." When the apples were gone the general made each man who had stolen the apples carry a rail for a mile or two.

BATTLE WITH A BOG.

Redmire's Suction Tore the Leather Gaiters Off a Man's Legs.

Readers of "Lorna Doone" can never forget the terrible drowning of Carver in the bog. That death trap is still to be seen in the Exmoor country, and not long ago a valuable hunting horse was engulfed in the mire, and his rider barely escaped with his life. S. Barling-Gould, who had a narrow escape from a similar bog, tells of it in his "Book of the West." The author was with an official from the ordnance survey, who was correcting the map of the country:

"In the dusk we lost our way and got into Redmire. It was winter, the bog was unusually wet, and we could scarcely trip from one stone to another. Six bullocks had been lost in that very spot during the year."

"All at once I sank above my waist and was rapidly being sucked in further. I called to my companion, but in the dark he could not see me. The water reached to my armpits. Happily I had with me a stout bamboo six feet long. I placed it athwart the surface and held my arms as far extended as possible. By quickly jerking my body I gradually lifted it, and then I threw myself forward as far as I could. Finally I managed to cast myself full length on the surface. The suction was so great that it tore the leather gaiters off my legs."

"For a quarter of an hour I lay stretched out, gasping, before I got breath enough to worm myself along to dry soil."

Old Postal Rates.

The high postal rates that prevailed in the earlier years of the last century made the transmission of a letter or parcel a matter of serious moment.

"A packet weighing thirty-two ounces was once sent from Deal to London," writes Mrs. Eleanor Smyth in her life of Sir Rowland Hill. "The postage was over £6, being * * * four times as much as the charge for an inside place by the coach. Again, a parcel of official papers small enough to slip inside an ordinary pocket was sent from Dublin to another Irish town addressed to Sir John Burgoyne. By mistake it was charged as a letter instead of as a parcel and cost £11. For

that amount the whole mail coach plying between the two towns with places for seven passengers and their luggage might have been hired."—London Chronicle.

To Identify a Child.

My small son did not return at the regular time one day while out with a maid. The thought terrified me that in case of an accident there would be no way of identifying him should he be lost. The next morning I cut pieces of wide tape, on which I wrote very clearly his name, address and our telephone number in indelible ink. I sewed one of these pieces to each of his underwaists, in front where it could be plainly seen.—K. E. A. in Harper's Bazar.

KILL THEM YOUNG.

Do Not Tolerate Weeds in the Garden of the Soul.

An old man was once walking with a little boy. They came across four shrubs. The old man said to the youthful companion:

"Pull up the last one."

He obeyed with ease.

"Now the next."

He obeyed, but it did not come so easily.

"And the third."

It took all his strength to move its roots.

"Now the fourth."

In vain the lad put forth all his strength. He only made the leaves tremble. He could not move the roots. They had gone strongly into the earth, and no effort could dislodge them.

Then the wise old man said to the ardent youth:

"This, my son, is just what happens with our passions. When they are young and weak one may by a little watchfulness over self and the help of a little self denial easily tear them up, but if we let them cast their roots deep into our souls there is no human power can uproot them. The almighty hand of the Creator alone can pluck them out. For this reason, my child, watch well over the first movement of your soul and study by acts of virtue to keep your passions well in check."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Something in the Eye.

Small substances, like cinders, dust or small chips of stone or metal, can often be removed from the eye by very simple means. Sometimes catching the upper lid by the lashes and pulling it away from the eyeball and down over the lower lid, then letting it go, so that as it recedes its under surface is swept by the edge of the lower lid, will clear it out. If this does not prove successful a loop made of a horsehair or of a long human hair can be passed under the lid and swept from the outer side toward the nose and drawn down. Better than this, however, is the washing of the eye or flushing with the eye dropper. Every person should carry one in his traveling bag, for they are invaluable. Catch hold of the lower and upper lid, draw them away from the eye and then fill the dropper, which is like a small syringe, with water and flush the eye two or three times. This will always remove the cinder at once. Family Doctor.

Not a Born Forger.

The indorsement of checks is a very simple thing; but, as the following story will show, it, too, has its difficulties:

A woman went into a bank where she had several times presented checks drawn to Mrs. Lucy B. Smith. This time the check was made to the order of Mrs. M. J. Smith. M. J. were her husband's initials. She explained this to the paying teller and asked what she should do.

"Oh, that is all right," he said. "Just indorse it as it is written there."

She took the check and after much hesitation said, "I don't think I can make an M like that."

WONDERS OF LAVA

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Curious Effect on Mount Vesuvius Produced by the Lava's Amazing Properties as a Nonconductor of Heat—Deadly Volcanic Ashes.

Vesuvius, the most famous volcano in the world, with its mighty vomitings of lava and dust, is guilty of many queer freaks. Mighty rainstorms have set in motion the lava dust and lava cinders that lie on its sides, and torrents of muddy lava have overwhelmed towns and villages as it swept down to the sea. The resulting effect from this has been so great that it changed the face of the coast line by forming a new promontory.

Lava is one of the most curious of substances. It is simply rock melted by a heat so intense that it flows like thin gruel. When Vesuvius is in eruption thousands of tons of it are squirted up the "pipe" and out of the crater. As it flows out over the edge it soon cools and leaves a thick, rosy coating which spreads over the entire countryside.

But it is only on the top that it really cools. A few inches below the surface of the lava is often red hot. Visitors are often invited to light their cigarettes in the chinks of a bed of lava that has been lying out in the open air for twenty years or more.

It is the most wonderful nonconductor of heat known. Borings made through some lava beds have shown that they are made up of layers of lava and layers of unmelted snow. As successive torrents of lava came pouring down the surface that lay on the snow cooled at once, and the surface open to the air also cooled at once. But between the two surfaces there was blazing heat; so if you bored down through some lava beds you would find a cool upper surface, a redhot inside, a cool layer, snow, a cool layer, a redhot one, a cool one, and then snow again.

In fact, a layer of lava will let not heat nor cold through. If you built a house entirely of lava on a scorching summer day you would still have 95 degrees inside when there was snow outside. If you built it in the winter ice would form in your parlor in July.

This clearly demonstrates what an extraordinary nonconductor lava is.

There is, indeed, on the slopes of Vesuvius a little lava hut into which summer visitors put bottles of wine to get them chilled.

When a volcano throws its lava out with such tremendous force that it jets high into the air it very often falls in the form of dust, owing to the explosive power of the high pressure steam that spurts out with it. It bursts into a fine spray and falls as dust—dust far finer than any other dust known.

It is so fine, indeed, that sometimes years elapse before it settles. When the mighty island volcano of Krakatoa blew itself nearly into bits in 1883 with a crashing sound of cannonading that smashed windows hundreds of miles away the lava dust was so thick in the air that for hundreds of miles round midday was as black as night. Volumes of infinitely fine dust sailed round and round the earth in the upper atmosphere and made England's sunsets of that year unusually splendid. It was three years before the upper air became quite clear again.

Lava dust has the same properties as lava. Shepherds on the slopes of Vesuvius sprinkle patches of snow in the winter with lava dust so that they may have it when the scorching

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FOR MEN An elaborate line of Men's Furnishings that will surely please. An immense line of Neckwear, 25 and 50 cts., every 50c. tie in a beautiful box; a novelty at 75 cts., with stick pin to match. We never before bought so many Xmas ties—we're going to sell more than ever. Mufflers of wool and cotton with the snap button in front at 25 and 50 cts.; Silk Mufflers, folded or open, from 50 cts., to \$5.00. Collar Bags of leather from 50 cts. to \$3.00. Suspenders at 50 cts. in single boxes. Gloves of every kind form the cheapest heavy work glove to the fine dress kid glove, or the most expensive genuine fur gloves. Combination Sets in beautiful colors from \$1 to \$2, tie and hose, or tie, hose and handkerchief to match. Handkerchief Wallet of leather with three handkerchiefs for \$1.00. Coat Sweaters from 50 cts. to \$6.00—an extensive line of imitation or genuine leather Suit Cases and Bags. Fur Collars for the man who has winter driving. A good assortment of Pajamas and Night Robes. Handkerchiefs—cotton, Linen or silk—and a thousand and one other things. Pocket Books, Umbrellas, Shirts, Underwear, Hats, Stick Pins, Cuff Links, Shoes, Overgaiters, Boots, Arctics, Rubbers, Belts, Hosiery, Collars, Cuffs. Let us show you.

FOR LADIES The ever practical gift—Shoes—subject to exchange for anything else in the store. House Slippers and Shoes of Kid or Felt. Rubber Shoes and Boots, Overgaiters, Sweaters, the plain heavy kind that men wear which ladies so often prefer, from 50 cts. to \$6.00. Silk and Wool Mufflers.

FOR BOYS AND GIRLS Skating Caps, 25 and 50c. Caps with ear protectors. Wool and Leather Gloves. High top Shoes. Sweaters—various colors from 50 cts. to \$1.50. Canvas Leggings—also Cloth and Corduroy for the little tots. Neckties, Rubber Boots, High School Pennants, Mittens, House Slippers of Felt or Leather.

ECKERT'S STORE

"On The Square"

days of summer arrive.

It was lava dust turned to mud by torrents of rain such as usually come with volcanic outbursts, that, nearly 2,000 years ago, destroyed the famous pleasure city of Herculaneum, and it was showers of volcanic ashes that overwhelmed Pompeii. Herculaneum still lies nearly forty yards from the open air.

There are rivers of lava mud that are blotting out towns and villages now.

A curious point has always been noticed when Vesuvius is in eruption, and that is the strong odor of washing day that hangs around the mountain.

One might wonder why the slopes of such a mountain are so thickly populated when there is always danger of eruptions and of avalanches of lava mud. Well, the reason is that volcanic soil is always very fertile. Some of the best wine of Italy comes from Vesuvian vineyards, and people are ready to take the risks.—London American.

To Say and to Do.

"Do you wish to go to church this evening? Father is going to preach, you know," the minister's fair daughter asked.

The young man considered.

"Um! The last time I went he rather fell on some of my small failings. Do you know what his text will be tonight?"

"Yes: 'Love one another.'"

He regarded the round pink cheek approvingly.

"Suppose," he suggested softly, "that we let the old gentleman go preach, while we sit here and practice?"—Lippincott's.

FOR SALE

I have a few fresh cows I will sell, also some good draft horses and mares. Will buy calves at any time and pay the highest cash prices for them. Drop me a card or phone to G. J. Bushman's Livery, Race Horse Alley, Gettysburg.

All of Conkeys poultry Remedies including Laying Tonic, Roup Remedy, Cholera cure, Limberneck Remedies. All guaranteed to cure. For sale by

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Gettysburg, R. D. No. 4

THE wonder—Free sewing machine—Sold by Chas. S. Mumper.

Eat Ziegler's bread.

News to Her.

He—Concerning love, everything possible has been said and thought. She (cooly)—But not to me.

Her Pleasant Displeasure.

A woman's dress is uncomfortable if it is stylish, and if it is not stylish she is miserable.—Nashville American.

It is generally more profitable to reckon up our defects than to boast of our attainments.—Carlyle.

PUBLIC SALE

On TUESDAY, Jan. 3, 1911, the undersigned will offer at Public Sale at his residence in Franklin township, Adams County, Pa. on the road leading from Seven Stars to Mummaburg, on the Ambrose Shank farm, the following personal property: 2 Head of Horses, bay mare 4 years old with foal to Sieto, Co. horse, black horse 9 years old will work wherever hitched, 8 Head of Cattle 6 milk cows, 2 were fresh, in Nov., 4 will be fresh by time of sale, 1 heifer will be fresh in April, and 1 heifer 11 months old, 16 head of hogs, large sow will have pigs by time of sale, 2 shoats full Chester will weigh 90 lbs., will make a pair of brood sows, 3 shoats will weigh 60 lbs.; Farming implements, consisting of a 2 horse wagon and bed, hay ladder used one season, Osborne binder, cut 30 acres. Household and kitchen furniture, consisting of a Rival range good as new, 2 bedsteads, 1 spring, 5 dining room chairs 4 kitchen chairs, cupboards, corner cupboard, The old Trusty Incubator, made by M. M. Johnson holds 240 eggs, run by hot water, good as new, churn, two 70 lb. milk cans, good as new, washer and wringer, good as new, bench, lot of potatoes by the bushel, lot of other articles too numerous to mention. Sale to begin at 11 a.m., sharp, a credit of 10 months will be given; 3 per cent. off for cash. Other conditions will be made known on day of sale by

J. CLAYTON RIDER.

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The cure that has been continuously successful for more than 31 years is worth investigating. For the drug or drink habit. Write for particulars. The Keeley Institute, 812 North Broad St., Phila., Pa.